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**BOWLING GREEN METHAMPHETAMINE MANUFACTURER SENTENCED**

David L. Huber, United States Attorney for the Western District of Kentucky, announced today that **THOMAS MOULDER**, age 42, 480 Morris Road, Bowling Green, Kentucky, was sentenced for conspiring with others to manufacture methamphetamine between December 12, 2000, and December 12, 2004, in Warren County, Kentucky. **MOULDER** was also sentenced for possessing methamphetamine with the intent to distribute, manufacturing 5 grams or more of methamphetamine, possessing pseudoephedrine with intent to manufacture methamphetamine, possessing equipment with the intent to manufacture methamphetamine, and possessing a firearm after having been convicted of a felony and in furtherance of a drug trafficking crime. **MOULDER** was sentenced to 15 years in prison and 8 years of supervised release to begin after his release from prison. There is no parole in the federal system.

**MOULDER**, along with others, had been manufacturing methamphetamine at **MOULDER's** residence located at 480 Morris Road in Bowling Green between the years 2000 and 2004. On December 12, 2004, the Kentucky State Police conducted a traffic stop on **MOULDER**

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and found approximately 8 grams of methamphetamine on **MOULDER's** person. The Kentucky State Police also located a gun that **MOULDER** used to protect himself and his drugs while he distributed his methamphetamine throughout Warren County. Subsequently, **MOULDER** consented to the search of his residence, where the Kentucky State Police, along with Agents from the Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms and Explosives (ATF), found an active methamphetamine laboratory, 43 grams of crushed pseudoephedrine, and several anhydrous ammonia tanks. Law enforcement also found numerous weapons throughout **MOULDER's** residence.

**MOULDER** was previously convicted of the felony offenses of theft by unlawful taking over \$300 and possession of a controlled substance in the first degree in Warren County, Kentucky.

The case was prosecuted by Assistant United States Attorney Brian Butler, and it was investigated by the Kentucky State Police and the Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms and Explosives (ATF).

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